# Orr's Lucius Lands Jefferson Handicap--Heiseman to Coach Ga. Tech Again

# LUCIUS FIRST AT NEW ORLEANS

# W. T. Orr's Chestnut Gelding Captures Jefferson Handicap.

New Orleans, Dec. 1 .- Lucius, W. T. Orr's chestnut gelding, won the Jefferson Handicap handily today from a good field of horses. He was not heavily backed, Bob Hensley being the favorite in the race.

Three favorites won and the long shot, Cheer Leader, in the last

Budweiser, heavily played, al-though second choice, won the sec-ond race, the favorite, Tactless be-ing last. The summary:

M. Garmer), 20 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:55. Paw. Checks and Adalid also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Handicap; all ages; one mile. Lucius, 187 (F. Robinson). 13 to 10, 1 to 2, out, won; Kinner, 194 (E. Martin), 7 to 1, 2 to 1, even, second; Bob Hensier, 195 (M. Garmer), 3 to 1, even, 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:42.55. Cracow. Warsaw and Gold Crest Boy also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Claiming; 3-year-olds and upward; one mile and twenty yards. Cliff Field, 131 (K. Lapsille), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won; Hiker, 189 (F. Robinson), 5 to 2, even, 2 to 5, second; Selecilific, 110 (D. Owens), 20 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:52.5. 'Irregular, Margaret N., Tantity and Smuggler also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Claiming; 3-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. Cheer Leader, 192 (E. Martin), 13 to 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, won; Libyan Sands, 118 (M. Garmer), 13 to 5, even, 1 to 5, second; Lary Lou, # (Stalker), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time, 1:6-35. His Nibs, Baby Lynch, Dr. Samuel, Jovial, Jack Reaves and Sharp Frost also ran.

### **NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.**

FOR MONDAY.

FIRST RACE—Claiming: \$400; 2 year-olds; be and a half furlougs. \*Miss Agues, 165; W.

H. Buckner, 100; Little Princess, 106; Evan Miss, 108, H, C, Basch, 111; Allbright, 111; ly Gracie, 112 SECOND RACE-Purse, \$400; maiden 3-year-

SECOND RACE-Purse, \$400; maiden 3-yearolds and upward; six furlengs. Colsea, 104;
Bounie Lassie, 109; Charles N. Abm, 107; Alexfluder, 207; Counter Blast, 110; Sandy Lad. 110;
Cora Lene, 112; Indiscrect (unp.), 112; Pinch
(imp.), 115; Dick West, 115.
THIRD RACE-Claming; purse, \$500; 3-yearolds and upward; six furlongs. "Regreso, 195;
Zimdel, 107; Evelyn V., 107; Nepotism, 110;
Trinsty, 119; Amboy, 111; Micco Girl, 111; Laughing Water, 112; Mecheka, 112; Martre, 112; Ky
Mar, 114; Sir Little Joe, 115; Impression, 115;
Tale Beauer, 115; Dancer, 115.
FOURTH RACE-Purse, \$600, Army and
Navy Purse; all ages; unite. Cracow, 82; Bell
Bey, 106; Pelroma; (imp.), 106; Dr. Samuel, 111;
Dick Williams, 116.
FIFTH RACE-Claiming; \$509; 3-year-olds and
upward; mile and a sixteeuth. Contestant, 102;
Bable Beate, 109; Verse, 106; Little, 106.

with RACE-Claiming: S09; Syear-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth. Contestant, 167; Enly Rasch, 162; Yours, 106; Little Bigger, 169; Crue S. 169; Hayden, 131; Shunberer, 131; Beauty Shop, 132; Kleburne, 116; Reybourn, 116.

SIXTH RACE-Claiming: \$500: fillers and marce: Syear-olds and upward; mile and twenty Sarchs. 'Requiram, 1.2; 'Ring Dove, 101; 'Varginia W. 162; 'Marianace, 108; 'Jocular, 109; 'Sayunara, 132.

"Apprentice allowance claimed

## HAVANA RESULTS.

# HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. "Frank Patterson, 105; "Now Then, 105; "Dode, 107; "Miss Primity, 107; "Farawar, 101; Adeija, 101; Dash, 105; Beresly James, 104; Pajorita II, 107.

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. "Helmet's Daughter. W; "Yiolet, 97; "Prohibstion, 101; Parr, 104; Raby Cole, 105; Skeeta, 107; Golden List, 107; Baby Cole, 105; Fuzzy Wuzzy, 109.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. "Brookfield, 97; Beanty Spot, 99; "Bank, Bill, 101; Flecha Negra, 105; Lytle, 104; Zim, 105; Barnard, 107; Colle, 106.

160; Lytle, 104; Zim, 105; Barnard, 160; Cotie, 168.

FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs, "Sleeper, 160; "Montressor, 161; "Alert, 164; Billy Joe, 110; "Montressor, 161; "Alert, 164; Billy Joe, 110; "Montressor, 161; Talert Hack—Three-year-olds and upward; one mile and 19 yards "Lady Rowens, 29; "Canto, 164; "Raiph S., 164; "Zodiac, 164; Easter Greetings, 164; Rackport, 167; "Mudsill, 167; Passion, 167; "Margaret E., 167; Samuel Meyer, 172; Maryvalla, 112; Repton, 113.

SIXTE RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; one mile and twenty yards, Don't He Rush, 165; "Balfron, 168; "Prochester, 111; Jack Hanover, 113; Nephthya, 113; Schemer, 113, Jack Hanover, 113; Nephthya, 113; Schemer, 114, Jack Hanover, 115; Nephthya, 113; Schemer, 114, Jack Hanover, 115; Nephthya, 113; Schemer, 114, Jack Hanover, 115; Nephthya, 115; Schemer, 116; Prom the day that the Frawley law repeal bill was passed the promoters

## Michigan to Retain Yost.

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Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 1.—Athletic board of control of the University of Michigan today set to rest the rumor that Coech Fidelian Versity of the Coech Fidelian Versity of Michigan today set to rest the rumor that Coech Fidelian Versity of the Coech Fidelian Versity of Michigan today set to rest the rumor that Coech Fidelian Versity of the Coech Fidelian Versity of Michigan today set to rest the rumor that Coech Fidelian Versity of the Coech Fidelian Versit Michigan today set to rest the rumor that Coach Fielding H. Yost would not be back next season, in an official statement that he will be on the job unless he personally declines.

# Both Leagues to Meet.

New York, Dec. 1.—The National League Club owners will gather at the Waldorf Hotel on December 11, while Ban B. Johnson will call the American League moguls into session in Chicago the day following. Base-ball magnates will then decide the big issue which is now up to them—the financial difficulties of the war.

While the major leagues may not be agreed on the length of the schedules it is becoming evi-dent that sentiment for lower dent that sentiment for lower player limits is growing. Several of the National League club owners are advocating not over eighteen men, while American League club owners are talking of a twenty-man limit. It would not be surprising to see an agreement on twenty players to the team.

# Johnny Heisman Will Again Coach Ga. Tech

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 1.—Georgia Tech, is happier tonight than she was when her football team finished the football season undefeated. The athletic association announced that it had reached an agreement with Coach J. W. Heisman and the Tech, wixard would coach Tech, teams in 1918 and not go to an Eastern college, as was first believed. The length of the contract or the monetary consideration was not announced.

# **BULLET JOE BUSH A GUNMAN OF MERI**

Kingpin of Athletics' Hurling Staff Likes Shooting at Clay Targets.

he has gained an enviable reputation in Philadelphia and vicinity.

He is a virtual newcomer at the



Bins Bacer, 109 (Gruber). I to 2, out, won; Einsbeth Lee, 114 (Beland). 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, second; Beaumont Lady. 105 (Wingfield), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:57 4.5, 151 Leven. 2 to 5, won; Monerief, 116 (Crumpi, 2 to 1, even. 2 to 5, won; Monerief, 116 (Crumpi, 2 to 1

land Alexander, the great pitcher of the Phillies, shot a match race at 150 targets, and it resulted in a tie, each breaking 127.

**ARE JOINING CLUBS** 

Already 26,000 Fistic Lovers Have

Sent in Their Applications.

proceed on that basis.

A canvass of the clubs showed the following results in signed applications

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Club and gromoter.
Broadway S. C., Brocklyn, J. Weismantel. 3,700
Clermont S. C., Brocklyn, P. J. Mullins. 3,400
Fairmount A. C., Manhattan, W. Gibson. 2,500
Fairmount A. C., Manhattan, I. Fordon. 3,500
Fioneer S. C., Manhattan, I. Fordon. 3,500
Fioneer S. C., Manhattan, D. McKettrick 3,500
New Polo A. A., Manhattan, D. McKettrick 3,500
New Polo A. A., Manhattan, W. Kirk. 2,500
Millitary A. C., Brocklyn, A. Mack. 1,500
Queensboro A. C., Queens. 1,100

Christy Mathewson may pitch again next year. Matty's arm should be all right if it isn't too sore from

clipping coupons,

**GOTHAM FIGHT FANS** 

# TOSSERS READY TO BOOM GAME

Basket-ball Will Get Under Way This Week-War Will Help Boost It.

The greatest of all indoor sports, basketball; will come into its own within the next few days. The foot ball season practically ended with the contests on "Turkey Day," and quite a few of the college, ex-college and High School stars who wore the cleated shoe, pads and head gears, will don the short pants, rubber soles and sleeveless shirts, the sparse uni-form of the basketball player. The popularity of the game, in-stead of lack of interest on account

ing last. The summary:

FIRST RACE—Two-pear-olds; five and a half turiongs. Hope, Ill (F. Robinson), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won; Breezy, 198 (M. Garner), 2 to 1, 3 to 3, second; Ivan Mist, 196 (A. Johnson), 5 to 5, and 1, and Oriental Girl also rate.

Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, American Baseball with Job. New, Passe II and Oriental Girl also rate.

SECOND RACE—Claiming; 3-year-olds and paymard; one mile and twenty parts. Budwester, 198 (A. Johnson), 13 to 5, 4 to 5, 1 to 5, won; Mr. Mack, 116 (F. Robinson), 19 to 1, 3 to 1, 3 to 3, 5 to 1, to 4, third. Time, 134 54. Tactured, 198 (F. Robinson), 19 to 1, 3 to 4, third. Time, 134 54. Tactured, 198 (F. Robinson), 19 to 1, 3 to 1, 4 to 4, third. Time, 134 54. Tactured, 198 (F. Robinson), 19 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 118 16. Johnson), 20 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 118 16. Johnson, 10 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 118 16. Johnson, 10 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 118 16. Johnson, 10 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time, 118 16. Johnson, 10 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 3, out, won; Emden, 116 (D. Owens), 19 to 4, third, Time, 118 (D. Owens), 19 to 4, third, Time Baseketball is also expected to increase in popularity for there is no other winter game that will ever take its place. The cantonments and training camps will all have represtative teams and will most likely be included on all the college schedules, as those who will likely make the different teams will be ex-college stars.

stars.

There will certainly be no lack of interest in the District, especially so, since the organization of the Inter Collegiate League. The instrumental in bringing them to

The fact that two big college games can be witnessed for the one price of admission on the same evening will surely prove an incentive to draw out the largest crowds that have ever attended the games played in the

The big leaguers up in Pennsylvania and New York States opened their seasons on November 1 and they have been playing to packed houses all through the football

There are three big leagues up State that are about on a par. The Pennsylvania State League, com-posed of teams in the anthracite coal regions around Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, play two complete schedules during the season. The winner of the first plays the winner of the second a series of games for the league championship. The East-ern, and oldest league, also plays out two schedules, while the Hud-son River plays but one.

Maryland State, George Washington University and Gallaudet College will shorten up their schedules somewhat, but they can all be seen in action against each other and Catholic University on the Y. M. C. A. floor December 15, when the league opens its season with George Washington playing Gal-laudet and Catholic University fighting it out with Maryland State. Georgetown University has even a longer schedule than last season. and the faithful are to be given a treat on the hilltop when Lenigh, Lafayette, Yale, West Virginia Universities and Trinity College appear against the Blue and Gray.

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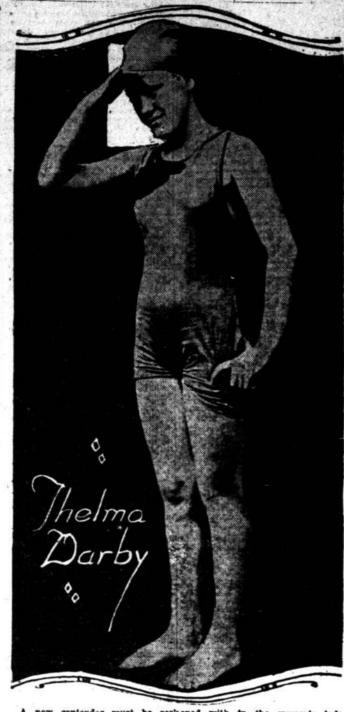
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# Indianapolis Girl Makes Champions Look to Honors



A new contender must be reckoned with in the women's indoor swimming championships to be held early in January in Miss Thelma Darby, of Indianapolis, who will make Miss Claire Galligan, of New Rochelle, and Miss Olga Dorfner, of Philadelphia, look to their laurels.

Miss Darby is only 15 years old, but in recent trials at Indianapolis has shown all the earmarks of a wonderful performer.

In one race she showed her heels to Miss Galligan, the national champion, over the 530-yard course, finishing the distance in 7:31, two yards ahead of her opponent. The time of the race was 2-5 of a second under the world record.

# GEORGIA TECH LEADS

and shoulders over all rivals. Pitts-burgh trailed off in the rear with only 230; Rutgers accumulated 256;

The big total acquired by Tech lifts the Southern eleven into the forefront of collegiate football. It mond Hitchcock will be the starter towas the third successive season for Tech in which it suffered not a single defeat. For Pittsburgh it also marked the third successive campaigned. The make-up of the field for the race.

club houses, traps, etc., are of the best."

Ital pointage, Until Tech took Auburn into camp the midshipmen led in points scored by a margin of 19, having compiled a record of 42 in which is taken to mean that he was seven games.

Georgia and Navy had the pointage where,"

Georgia and Navy had the pointage selected captain of the 1918 Brown University football team.

Georgia and Navy had the pointage abroad and that he probably is in France by this time.

## BIG GAME POSTPONED.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 1.—Chilly winds and a snow covered field forced the postponement of the game at Soldier Field, Cambridge, Mass., today between Eddie Mahan's United States Marines from League Island, Philadelphia, Pa., and the Charlestown Navy Yard eleven. The game will be played on Monday afternoon, when eighteen thousands fans will no doubt be on hand.

# FIFTEEN TEAMS TO

Point System of Scoring Makes 1917 Six-Day Hike Different From All Others.

New York, Dec. 1 .- The 1917 model

one minute after midnight night will be much different from the other long bike races that gave he town a week's eye-opener. This he town a week's eye-opener. This ear's grind will be almost a conjucture as a series of sprints. Under the ew Berlin system of scoring there'll et we hours of sprinting every night at one-hour sprint in the aftergroup, including all who produced a place hit less serious princh hit less season and the complete produce in the season and the complete produced in the season and the town a week's eye-opener. This year's grind will be almost a conbe two hours of sprinting every night and a one-hour sprint in the after-noons. The winner of these sprints pinch will receve so many ponts, and the strange pont system will decide the race, unwill receve so many ponts, and the pont system will decide the race, unless a team steals a lap at any time. In the American League the leading less a team steals a lap at any time. With so much value to sprints, the blows to his credit. In the National combination of Kramer and Egg is particularly dangerous. Kramer, hits.

holder of the national sprints title
seventeen times, entered this season's
grind especially to shake the doubt
thirteen, while the athlete who occuof any Thomas that he is going back.

With the Sheet Was Clarke, with mine pinch
hits.

Murphy, of the White Sox, was
second in the American League, with
thirteen, while the athlete who occuof any Thomas that he is going back. the saucer-shaped track.

The competing field is formed of all in the American League produced as the star riders in this country and a number from abroad who received appecial furloughs from the allied armies to visit the United States at Baseball Abroad. this time. There are a number of veteran riders, but the list is made up mostly with the names of young stars, the kind who are most likely to fur-nish the exciting "jams" during the

nish the excurse long grind.
Oscar Egg, who stole a lap two hours before the finish of the 1916 race which gave him first place, and Frank Kramer are naturally favorites.
Coullet and Jake Magin, a very speedy combination, are likely to be right on the spot when anything happens. One of the most dangerous teams certainly will be the er brothers. Arthur Spencer Kramer of his national sprinting championship, and is regarded the most formidable of the crop of young

Eddie Root and Bob Spears, are all entered in strong combinations and expect to finsh over the finish line the

One of the many innovations of the race next week will be the construc-tion of the track. The oval will come right up to the edge of the boxes, thus giving the spectators a more chummy vantage point. The track is also much broader. Walthour, Kramer and Root tried it out yesterday and pronounced it the of the mediant tracks the tracks the rode on.
The actual racing time for the Gar-

By BRIGGS

man of the Oakland Coast League team, has been accepted into the Na-tional army and assigned to Camp Lewis, in California.

# Kumler Best Pinch-Hitter In League Last Season

Murphy of White Sox Lands Second Honors: Americans Use English Football Field For the National Pastime

So long as there's a dream to dream— So long as there's a song to sing; So long as countless days may gleam Upon our restless wandering, So long as there's a road that leads Out and far—through mile on mile— Beyond life's narrow faiths and Creeds.

So long will life be worth the while. But when the final dream is done, And when the last clear song is stilled, Or when the far road finds the sun Has set where once the morning thrilled,

When gray dusk gathers on the trail And we may take the road no more, ix-day race which starts in the Then all we'll care for is to sail For what waits on the Other Shore.

Concerning Pinch Hitters.

With the Speed King in action it is Sam Crawford, who contributed a cinch the other fourteen pairs won't seven.

It might, or it might not, be of in-

Baseball Abroad. We draw this from an English pub-

into a curdle? Did they ever lose an argument They started out to win

Without straining for a life, Since they'll grab it anyway before they're through? There are various details about good

a match. The day we got here in England, instead of going to their billet they went straight to the shore and began to play ball.

"A football field was found, but because no football had been played there for two years the grass was high. The players cut it with scythes and marked out a pitch.

"During the game there was a

and marked out a pitch.
"During the game there was a
noise, certainly. It echoed down the
little streets outside the ground and
away to see, for the stand was packed with young Americans detained
for a few days in a northern watering place before going on to the
Great Adventure. And because there
is a war, and because there
is a war, and because there
is a war, and because there

is a war, and because men's thoughts are seldom away from one subject, a soldier fresh from out there turned to another. "Look here, old man,

to another. "Look here, old man these baseball chaps will be jolly

useful in France. Fancy that pitches lobbing bombs at Fritz!"

The grand tip-off on wrestling is that so many of them have been Turks or Bulgarians.

Concerning Suffrage (Written a matter of two years ago).
If their minds are made up fully,
If they're pointed for a spin,

What's the good of pushing things

With only masculinity to hurdle?

If they want it, let 'em have it; Turn it over as a gift; Send it up as if apologies were due;

Why not be polite about it

"are spolling for putts rarely stop short of the cup.

# **GOLF AND TENNIS NOTES**

tray, the golf course and tennis went to Samuel L. Mosby courts in the Potomac Park Recreation Field will be ready by spring. ation Field will be ready by spring.

There are to be two golf courses on the field, one an eighteen-hole and a nine-hole one. The work of grading one of the courses is already under way and it will be ready for use the local tournaments, is now in Washington temporarily. He has just been commissioned after a training the city in connection with the War Department. nine-hole one. The work of grading one of the courses is already under way and it will be ready for use the oming season. The grading of this was started first because it longer than the other field courts and playgrounds.

Tennis is another sport that will be

in progress at the park when spring comes again as plans for thirty-four new courts have been approved and some of these are to be graded and laid off as soon as possible. The com-pletion of all of these courts means that as many as 136 of Washington's tennis devotees may indulge in their chosen sport at the same time. In connection with this new park,

"Uncle Sam" is going a step further

Now that the professional soir tour-naments in the North have ended, "dopesters" are busy with their books of statistics trying to pick the lead-ing player of the year. At first blush, the record of Jock Hutchison, the blond-topped Scot from the Glen-view Club, Chicago, seems the most impressive as he wan the patriotic impressive, as he won the patriotic tournament held at Whitemarsh Val-ley and finished third in the West-ern. But on further consideration. Jim Barnes, the elongated clubwielder from Philadelphia, must receive first place, as he did last year. Barnes, by reason of a bad start in which he was the victim of an unfortunate the same in the Philadelphia open event. He went through the international matches without any trouble, losing a pair of four-ballers, but winning all of his individual contests. The Western open was all Barnes. Getting around the morning of the first day in 67, he gained such a lead on the field that notwithstanding the great efforts of Hogen and ing the great efforts of Hagen and Hutchison they could not cut down this margin, and he won with two strokes to spare. The U. S. Golf Association, because of the war, has not seen fit to bestow the title of champion on any of fis players, but taking the season as a whole, Barnes must be considered the leading "pro" of the year, with Hutchison as sec-ond best, Gil Nichols, Mike Brady, Eddie Loose, Walter Hagan, Charles Hoffner, and Fred McLeod have all had good seasons, but their work has not stood out like that of the

other two.

While it is true that Washington racketers fell down badly in their efforts to raise \$1000 from 1,000 players," for the purchase of an ambulance to bear the name of this city for relief work abroad under the American Red Cross, there is some consolation in knowing that it was not alone in failing to subscribe the required amount, Washington was required amount, washington was asked to raise \$1,000, and gathered together about one-third of this amount, which was just about the proportion raised throughout the country, Incidentally, it might be mentioned that the "Hon's share" of Washington's away due. country, incidentally, it might be mentioned that the "lion's share" of Washington's subscriptions was due to the efforts of "Lou" Doyle, on whose shoulders, as is usually the ease, the bulk of the work fell. Doyle worked long and hard on this project and if the other members of the committee had devoted the same amount of time and effort, the local's share would no doubt have been "oversubscribed."

George E. Truett won the "ringer tournament which has been on the cards at the Washington Golf and Country Club since Labor Day, his is standing up since early in October, Charles H. Booing, ir., with

Department

to the rule. The one or two indoor golf courses which have been established in Washington from time to time have been just about as popular as though they weren't in existence and those who were behind the game soon found that it was a very poor-paying proposition. About the only of the game is the of the game is the outdoor feature and the walking it calls for and when these two elements are eliminated, golfers figure they might as well take up something else or quit.

A. Y. Leech expects to attend the for this meeting of the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association which will be held in New York this week. Leech is also a mem The women players of the Columbia
Country Club have given up their
usual Saturday afternoon tournaments
played on the putting course and,
to do in this connection.

# Oro Fine Paced Mile in 2:06.

Riverside, Cal., Dec. 1.-Oro Fine, wned by Clarence J. Berry, paced a mile here in 2:06, clipping two and one-quarter seconds from the world's record for a three-year-old pacer on a half-mile track.

## BAUGH ADVOCATES A SHORTER SCHEDULE

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 1.-Though the past season was a prosperous one for the Southern League and the outlook for a good year in 1918 is bright, President Baugh has an-nounced that he will advocate a schedule of but 140 games next year, when the league meets at Atlanta on December 15. He intilocal ruling, did not show well, but he went through the Western in a manner befitting a champion and did the same in the Philadelphia open stick the season out. This state-ment is presumed to be directed at Mobile, which last summer, for the second time in two years, sent up a distress signal, the league

# Fulton to Box Flynn.

St. Paul, Dec. 1.—Fred Fulton and Porky Flynn have been matched to box ten rounds at Columbus, Oh De



\$8.50 Browne" Belts ..... Waterproof Bed- \$11.00 Canvas Buckets .....

Basins .....\$1.00 DREYFUSS BROS. 617 Pa. Ave. N. W.

Bet. 6th and 7th.

# The Days of Real Sport

